

District Officers.

The following district officers were elected in the several districts at the late election in Pocahontas county :

Greenbank—President Board of Education, Dr. J. P. Moorman; Member Board of Education, U. B. Sutton.

Edray—Justice of the Peace, Uriah Bird; Constables, Chas. McCoy and Preston Baxter; President Board of Education, Grant Smith; Member Board of Education, R. A. Kramer.

Huntersville — President Board of Education, H. M. Lockridge; Member Board of Education, Zane B. Grimes.

Levels—President Board of Education, M. L. Young; Member Board of Education, John A. Young.

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In addition there will be music,
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HONOR ROLL.

Following is the honor roll of
Brush School. Names of those not
making less than 90 per cent in
grade and deportment the past
month are as follows: Stella Wil-
fong, Mary Bright, Mamie Wilson,
Mary Wilfong, Hester Wilfong,
Tiny Sharp, Lucy Waugh, Goldie
Kennedy, Lula Wilfong, Nora
Bright, Grant Bryant, Lacy Bry-
ant, Grafton Bryant.

CLARA MARSTON, Teacher.

Miss Anna Wallace, one of the
teachers in the Marlinton school,
is at the bedside of her brother
who is critically ill at his home at
Academy. Miss Anna Sullivan is
filling her place in the school

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Meeting of Schoolbook Board.

The Schoolbook Board of Pocahontas county, is hereby called to meet at Marlinton on Saturday, January 12, 1907, to adopt, for use in the schools of said county for a period of five years, text-books on the following subjects: Reading, Spelling, Arithmetic, Algebra, Geometry, Physical Geography, English Grammar and Supplementary Readers.

J. B. GRIMES,
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The school-book board of Pocahontas county met here last Saturday and adopted for the next five years the same books now in use in the county with the addition of Carpenter's Geographical Readers for supplementary reading. This we think is a wise move on the part of the board and will prevent a change of books for at least five years unless the present session of legislature passes a uniform school-book law.

The nurses of The Marlinton Hospital held a banquet at the Hotel last Friday evening in honor of Miss Wilson of the Hinton Hospital. The dinner was served at

this road and is whereabouts.

The trains will slide between Cass and were. The wires were messages could by telegraph slides were (Thursday) allowed to pass time a special box car and run through several hours.

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School Report.

Report of Huntersville school for month ending Jan. 25th: Pupils enrolled 32; average daily attendance 28; per cent of daily attendance 92. Names of pupils neither absent nor tardy: Ethel Lockridge, Delta Wagner, Lottie McComb, Jessie McComb, Kathleen Carey, Mamie Ginger, Fay H. Grose, Moser Harold, Clarence Moore, Fred Moore, Clyde Wagner, Harry McComb, Fred Gooth, and Clyde Grogg.

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SALE OF SCHOOL LANDS.

Pursuant to a decree of the Circuit Court of Pocahontas County, West Virginia, entered therein at the January term thereof, 1907, in the chancery cause of the State of West Virginia vs Waste and Unappropriated Lands, I will on the

2ND DAY OF APRIL, 1907,

being the first day of the April term of said Court, proceed to sell by way of public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, in front of the court house of said county, the following real estate in said county, viz;

A tract of 31 acres lying on the waters of Greenbrier river in the Levels District adjoining the lands of A. Rankin and others. Said lands are well timbered with hemlock and other valuable timbers, and lying on the railroad it is a very valuable piece of land. Timber men should look these tracts over and be ready for them on the day of sale.

A. D. WILLIAMS,
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being the first day of the April term of said Court proceed to sell by way of public auction to the highest bidder in front of the court-house of said county the following real estate situated in said county, viz:

Two tracts of 81 acres and 3 acres lying on the waters of Elk river adjoining the lands of John A. Innes. Said tracts are well timbered with the finest hemlock and spruce and are very valuable.

Terms--Cash.

A. D. WILLIAMS,
Comm'r of School Lands.

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porate limits of the town and
found the number to be 802. Per-
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tion at from 1200 to 1500 have an-
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The new Board of Education of Edray district met last Monday and transacted a large amount of business although the levy was not laid owing to the assessor's books not yet being in shape. All the members of the board were present. The board consists of Grant Smith, president, John E Barlow and R. A Kramer. J H. Patterson, the former secretary of the board tendered his resignation and the same was accepted. T D Moore was elected secretary of the new board.

The following trustees were appointed for the several sub-districts:

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Slaty Fork—F. T. Sharp, L. D.
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Pleasant Valley—Robt. Gib-
son, W. A. Varner and Levi Gib-
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Alderney—J. W. McClure, A.
N. Barlow and Walker Irvine.

Cloverlick—J. J. Coyner, B. B.
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Teachers' salaries were fixed as
follows: first grade \$40, second
grade \$35, third grade \$27 50.

The following order was enter-
ed with reference to the Marlin-
ton schools: "It is ordered that
the teaching force of the Marlin-
ton Graded School be composed
of a principal and four assistants
for the ensuing school year, the
principal's salary to be \$125 per
month and the assistants each
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to be eight months. It is further
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Sallie Wilson and Mrs. Bessie
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to be eight months. It is further ordered that J. W. Burns be appointed to the place of principal, and Miss Jane Wallace, Miss Sallie Wilson and Mrs. Dennis Johnston to three of the assistant's places, and the appointment of the board continued to be continued to a future term."

The prosecuting attorney was directed to bring suit at once to recover amount of damages for destruction of school house at Cloverlick in the spring of 1896 by the DeRos Lumber Co.

School houses were ordered to be built at Pine Grove near Onoto, the site to be selected later, and for the colored children in the lower Brush country. Repairs were also ordered on several other houses.

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Next session opens
September 8, 1907.

For information address,

FRANK B. COOPER, Principal,

Huntersville, W. Va.

Lost—In Marlinton, gold watch
charin bearing Knight Templar
design. Liberal reward.

Sale of Valuable Personal Property

On Saturday, the 17th
August, 1907, at 1 o'clock
the front door of the
Marlinton, W. Va., the
Court of Pocahontas co-
sell by way of public
the highest bidder, the
valuable property:

One 1½ power gas-
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county, is visiting at the home of her cousin, B. M. Yeager. She left this county before the war and this is her first visit here since she left the county.

The steady downpour of rain yesterday will no doubt spoil a whole lot of hay in this county. We are informed that there is quite a large amount that has not yet been harvested.

Summers Sharp has been elected principal of one of the schools in Bluefield at a salary of \$80 per month. This is a new school recently established in that city and has six rooms. The school will open Sept. 16th.

Dick English, an old time woodsman, was in Marlinton this week for the first time in several years visiting friends. Dick is one of the few old time "loggers" who was here when this

was a devout member of the Methodist Episcopal church. Exemplary christian. Services were conducted by her pastor, Rev. ton, and her remains the Gibson graveyard, Va., for burial. band and motherly the sympathy of munity.

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The public schools will open here next Monday. Principal Burns desires that all children enter school on the first day so that classes may be organized and continue without interruption. Better work can then be done than have pupils enter after the work has already started.

W. G. Johnston returned yesterday from Greenbrier county where he has been in the interest

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School Report.

I beg leave to submit a report of my first month's school known as the Beaver (Lick School:

Pupils enrolled; boys 9, girls 14, total 23; boys present 105 days, girls present 215 days; boys absent 28 days, girls absent 15 days; boys non-member 45 days, girls non-member 50 days; average daily attendance, boys 6; girls 10; total 16; per cent of daily attendance, boys 80; girls 90; deportment good.

Little Duff Piles brings in the best paper on the "Chestnut Tree" in the composition class. Though the pupils have had little training in composition work, I find they are excellent in this school.

J. A. ARBOGAST, Teacher.

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It is to be hoped that the teachers will
make every effort to come to the institutes
and that as many members of the Boards
of Education as possibly can will be pres-
ent also. Prof. Friend should be greeted
by a packed house at each of his lectures.

School Report

Report of the Green Hill School for the
last month: Pupils enrolled, boys 17;
girls 6; total 23. Per cent of daily atten-
dance, boys 100; girls 98. The following
are the names of those neither absent nor
tardy:

Mamie Jackson, Ethel Jackson, Annie
McCapin, Chas. Sharp, Lanta Sharp,
Lock Sharp, Frank Sharp, Claude Mc-
Laughlin, Price McLaughlin, Gray Mc-
Laughlin, Cecil Curry, Lee Jackson, Lee
Gay, Chyle Eubanks, Ashby Eubanks,
Steril Woodell, Clive Woodell.

E. C. BUSH, Teacher.

Death of Zane B. Grimes.

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National Bank has been rented to a company who will open up bottling works for the manufacture of pop and other soft drinks.

Upon returning to his home at Millpoint after serving as a juror in the circuit court here last week M. W. Buckman was stricken with pneumonia and is now in a critical condition.

About twenty teachers were in attendance at the district institute here yesterday. A number of important questions were discussed and the teachers were greatly benefitted by the meeting.

B. M. Yeager this week sold the Pocahontas Drug Store to A. W. Arbogast, of this place, and Don Sullenbarger, of Monterery, Va. Arrangements are being made to open it again at an early date.

Lots of white suckers are being caught these days at the mouth of Knapps creek and Stony creek. So dense are the fishermen at times that it is difficult to

Miner Buckhannon and dynamite man from Staunton, Va. vacation of ten days.

Willie Hamilton have charge of and keep everything can roast anything.

Wade Gum bitten by his but was sent treated by I as nurse.

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H. W. Dadrill will teach a ten
 training school here, beginning
 in April. Notice will appear

Granger-Grilley Recitals.

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Report of the Marlinton Public Schools for the Month Ending Jan. 20th.

GRADE	TEACHER	Enrollment	Average daily Attendance	Per cent daily attendance	No. cases of Tardiness	No. cases of Truancy
1	Anna Wallace.....	43	38	88	8	0
2	Mamie Beckett.....	28	21	86	5	0
3-4	Sallie Wilson.....	31	27	92	5	0
5	Virginia Shields.....	30	23	92	6	0
6-7	J. M. Chapman.....	25	22	96	5	0
8th & h.s.	Rhea Seymour.....	23	20	92	0	0
	Total.....	180	141	91	29	0

FIRST GRADE.

Gladys Clark	Fla East
Zenrelda Medsker	Gertrude Overholt
Rebecca Sydnor	Charles Eckhardt

Jas Harris same
 Jno Besling, labor
 Wm Wardell, labor
 Geo W. McCollam, hauling
 R. S. Staton, labor

ELECTIONS

Jno E. Waugh, comr
 W. A. Slaven, comr
 David Sullivan, comr & me
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 J. O. Smith, clerk

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 May 8th and continuing
 Special attention will be
 and those preparing to teach.
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Academy, W. Va.

Charles Clark	J. Root
Marion McChesney	Charles Church
Robert Kyles	Charles Ruckelshaus
Augustus McLean	Chas. Richardson
Richard Yeager	Armand Yeager

SECOND GRADE.

Laura Board	Genevieve Yeager
Vera Williams	Euther Board
John Ruff	

THIRD GRADE.

Pupils neither about nor tardy

Katie Smith	Chad Root
Charles Irvine	Arnold Klein
Thomas McCarty	Hubert Shaven
Yvonne Taylor	George Vaughn

FIFTH GRADE.

Joe Crummett	Mabel Cumber
Edith Ruff	Thos. Richardson
Clyde Faulkner	Walter Ginn
Anna Starn	Herbert Vaughn
Hull Yeager	Marling Camden

SEVENTH GRADE.

Pupils neither about nor tardy

Oscar Bennett	Albert Curry
Anna Ginn	Helen Irvine
Elmo McClintock	

SIXTH GRADE.

Gladys Smith	Mamie Wilson
Bessie Criss	Mary Faulkner

EIGHT GRADE & HIGH SCHOOL.

Orion Ginn	Charles Richardson
Clinton Yeager	Francis Golden
Agnes Price	Ruth H. Sharp
Anna Sheets	

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Don't miss The Music
 Opera House January 9th.

have to be removed.

The Campbelltown graded school was compelled to close this week after being in session for six months for lack of funds to continue it longer. Upon petition of the patrons of the school the board ordered an eight months' term and laid an extra levy of five cents in that sub-district to continue the school the extra two months. This extra levy was hardly enough to pay the teachers the increased salary asked for by the taxpayers at Campbelltown. The reduction in the assessment in this district by the circuit court runs the school fund considerably under the estimate made by the board.

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Think of this, you voters in the Levels district, who have a daughter who is contemplating entering the teaching profession.

A good High School in a community will draw the better class of people from other sections and from other states. A man of progress, seeking a new home, will inquire first of all into school conditions. If good schools are lacking he is sure to locate elsewhere no matter how favorable other conditions are. If the people of the Levels desire the very best class of settlers to come among them, they will vote for the levy to establish a High School.

With a good High School, the Levels district will 'out-shine' any of the other districts in Pocahontas county along educational lines.

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our heads at last above the stars and strike the harps of gold in one grand chorus.

Few first grade certificates were made in Pocahontas county in the uniform examination last year. One of these was made by a lady coming from another state only a week before the examination. She was not familiar with some of the branches taught in this state, notably State History. State Government and the geography of the state, but she was a High School graduate and she went through the examination with colors flying. This year she is making one of our most successful teachers at a good salary. Think of this, you voter in the Levels district, who have a daughter who is contemplating entering the teaching profession.

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Business Notice—I have sold my grocery business to J. L. Bheeta and will call on my customers in person, and will expect prompt payment of all accounts.—H. B. Blavin.

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Greenbrier,.....	\$12,199.12
Monroe,.....	8,979.70
Summers,.....	10,032.96
Fayette,.....	22,536.75
Nicholas,.....	9,120.67
Pocahontas,.....	6,254.54

Mrs. James Gragg.

Belle, wife of James Gragg, died at her home near Frost Friday, July 21 1911, after a short illness, of measles, aged 49 years, 11 months and 21 days. Mrs. Gragg was a daughter of the late Zane Grimes, and an estimable lady. She leaves a husband and five children—three sons and two daughters. Her remains were laid to rest in the Clark Dilley graveyard in the Bussard neighborhood near Dunmore Saturday.

True friends have no solitary joy or sorrow.

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Kyle Woods, Leslie W. Williams, Jesse
Pearl Willett, Fred C. Yeager, Harvey
Bright and O. C. Taylor (Col).

Of the above number 39 are being ex-
amined for Elementary certificates, 8 for
Graded School certificates and one for re-
newal.

Treated the Teachers.

That enthusiastic veteran J. Woods
Price treated the institute to some fine
plums last week. The plums grew on his
place in West Marlinton and it took about
fifteen gallons to go around. He was at
one time county superintendent of Ran-
dolph county and still delights in attend-
ing the institute and is present at every
session.

Mr. Price presented the MESSENGER off-
ice force with a gallon or so of plums
Monday of this week for which we ac-
knowledge thanks.

Huntersville.

Miss Maude Loury is visiting friends
and relatives here.

C. M. Jordan and C. M. Grose came up
from Denmar Saturday and spent Sun-
day at their homes here.

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Mingo to visit the latter's home.

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in the woods.

George Auldridge, our wor-
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ports the occasion more than
pected to experience. He sa-
ladies mistook him for a ma-
illy and it kept him busy sh-
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Misses Lanie and Ida B.
May Vaucenen were visitin-
last week.

Kennie Knapp was call-
county a few days ago to a
who was paralyzed recentl-
in a critical condition.

Misses Grace Barlow and
were visiting at Mrs. Ma-
last Sunday.

Samuel Barlow and Henr-
Sunday visitors at Edray.

At a perlimentary trial he-
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School House Let.

The new two room school house to be
built at Dunmore was let to contract Wed-
nesday of this week, Milligan and Sharp
of Marlinton being the successful bidders.
Their bid was \$1574. Two other bids were
submitted, W. R. Moore \$2113 and R. T.
Noel \$1760. Work was commenced yes-
terday morning and the building is to be
finished in sixty days.

Conference Changes.

At the recent conference of the Metho-
dist Protestant church held at Buckhan-
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J A E Hill	13 40
Jasper Auldridge	8 50
C A Yeager	8 10
Jacob Cassell	11 20
W A Gladwell	13 10
Samuel Sheets	9 10
H H Waugh	8 70
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H W Harper	13 30
Luther Auldridge	8 80
C J Richardson	8 10
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Grant Johnson	8 20
Wise Herold	9 80
Bland Nottingham	14 30
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Ellis Buzzard	8 70
John Cay	4 40
I B Moore	7 60
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W R Sutton	9 50
Floyd Dilley	6 10
Frank Bruffey	10 50
A N Barlow	6 80
D A Gladwell	7 30

Court House & Jail	\$217.58
Election Expenses	1073.03
Fighting Fire	770.01
Witness Claims	2005.05
Miscellaneous	3924.64
	\$20,871.01
Grand Jurors Orders	\$ 462.30
Petty Jury Orders	1,436.90
	\$22,770.21

SCHOOL OPENING

The Public and High School of Marlinton will open Monday September 11, 1911.

We hope to see every boy and girl of school age present on that day, and may they be present every day that they may not fall behind their grades and receive full benefit of the school.

The High School is open free of tuition, to every boy and girl of Edray District who has completed the "Common school" branches, and we invite every boy or girl of the district to take advantage of this opportunity to get a thorough preparation for college at home.

TO THE PARENTS: Permit me to say that the high school period of the boy or girl life, is the most critical, because it is the period that largely determines what the future life of the boy or girl will be. How important then that they be sent to a good school at home, where they may be under the direct oversight of their parents, and where they may not come under evil influences and fall into ways of wickedness and vice. The home and the school should be mutually helpful, and each should exercise its influence for the good of the boy or girl. The school needs the hearty cooperation of every patron, and the school suffers when you withdraw your help or when you give cold, mistaken criticism, instead of timely counsel or sympathy. Send your boys and girls to the school and with them, send your kind sympathy, and success will be the result.

C. B. CORNWELL, Principal.

Stammering is practically unknown in uncivilized countries.

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T There remains but five weeks of our school and it is with much regret that we see the term drawing to a close as we think of the great amount of work the scholars might yet accomplish had they but two more months of training. The examinations for free school diplomas - will be held here Thursday and Friday. All pupils not holding state diplomas should take this examination.

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